BE AN AMERICAN BEAUTY?

WILL BRITAIN'S FUTURE QUEEN

### \$500,000,000 ASKED FOR R. R'S

#### To Carry Out Government War Secretary Will Ex-Policy of Aiding Financing of Improvements.

Congress will be asked soon to appropriate more than \$500,000,000 to carry out the government's policy of aiding in the financing of rail-road improvements, according to a

for railroad improvements up to De-cember 31, 1918, was \$1.277,000,000, of and Mr. Hines says it is possible they may exceed \$500,000,000.

In a statement yesterday of the activities of the army which were created during the war, is necessary, it "The Railroad Administration has been charged by the Federal con-trol act with two functions which are important shall not be confused. One of these functions is to render the times of the functions is to render the times of the league of nations comes into public service through operation of the railroads, collecting of the reveunctions is to require the necessary ermanent improvements to be made including purchases of new equip-ment, and to aid in financing these expenditures for new improvements in order that railroad companies may not be forced to offer large blocks of securities in the market der circumstances which would un-ter financial conditions and which interfere with government interfere with governmen on may call for the out of the first function. interest rates as ompanies to raise

Enemies Work.

## **BAKER TO TELL BIG ARMY PLAN**

plain Need of 500,000 Men to Congress.

Secretary Baker and Gen. March will explain to the House Committee on Military Affairs today the plan of the General Staff by which a regular army of 500,000 is to be cre-lines yesterday. ated during the period of de authorized expenditures zation of the present forces.

Secretary Baker will point out the necessity of fixing the strength of which it is estimated £58,000,000 had the standing army, in order that estimated that the minimum total of the additional requirements of the session of the Congress. Legislarailroads for 1912 will be \$350,000,000 tion setting forth the extent of the and Mr. Hines says it is possible they retention of auxiliary corps and acis said.

According to present plans the army will number \$00,000 men and will continue at that figure until of the league of nations comes into being and promises guarantees by which armaments can be reduced which armaments can be reduced the opinion is general that the peace time army of the United States will be approximately the same

#### FIGHTING RESUMED IN BERLIN, REPORT

Spartacans Fired Into Streets from Housetops-Reports Conflict.

Copenhagen, Jan. 15.—Fighting was resumed in Berlin yesterday, dis-patches from German sources report-Spartacans fired into the streets

from the housetops, these advices said. Bombs were thrown upon a railway station. Attacks were made on the Frarizer Barracks. A brief engagement was fought in the Belleali-

An Amsterdam dispatch received earlier today reported that a truce had been put into effect between Spar-tacans and government troops in Ber-This truce was not last Friday. to be disregarded by either side until twelve hours' notice had been given. Reports from Berlin are still con-Reports from Berlin are still con-icting. This Copenhagen dispatch is not confirmed from other sources yet.

#### Auto Truck Hits Hearse

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with an auto hearse owned by George
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the during the past month occurred yesterday, when a delivery auto collided
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wife he likes from among English
or American families!
Everybody feels that, under the

→ The Pain in My Foot!

of it. Such conditions you can readily

## Second Time in Month

Slight damage was done the hearse

-Whiz! How it Hurts 🖛

democracy. It would please both Americans and Englishmen by its 'hands-across-the-sea" effect, and would likewise have a salutary inwould likewise have a salutary in-fluence on many too enthusiastic democrats, who would be mol-lified to see a plain American girl in the seats of the mighty.

ELIMINATE MIDDLEMAN

"And the young prince went forth to seek a wife!"

Out of the fairy tale into America, 1919, comes the hero-prince, looking for a wife—and he's going to look among American beauties first!

And, besides all that, there aren't contestants for the prince's favor just what type of girl he prefers. Before the war, he was still at Oxford, a four beautiful daughters of the forward with his taste in ladies completely four beautiful daughters of the for-mer Czar, Olga, Tatiana, Marie and Anastasia, met a tragic and mysteri-ous death in the Russian revolution. The other European princesses who might be considered as possible mates for the British heir-apparent are barred by their religion. The English prince must preven a few or thought for sentiment, so he is still heart-whole and fancy-free. English prince must mary a Prot-

are both said to have assured Presi- women of the social world, for col dent Wilson that the prince is to visit America, and the news has already set mothers of eligible American dollar princesses in a flutter of the social world, for college girls, athletic girls, for doll girls, for beauties, for million heiresses and working girls, for debutante or suff-raget—for any girls who are young. Everybody feels that, under the interest and preparation.

thing to princesses, are already married to American citizens, with the exception of Miss Margaret Wil-

she will back him into a corner and say sweetly: married to American citizens, with the exception of Miss Margaret Wilson, who is older than the prince by several years, and who is more concerned with pleasing Yank soldiers than royal suitors.

say sweetly:

Now, P. W., I love you dearly, and all that, but I wouldn't consider being a queen. I want you to resign your job as Prince of Wales at once and run for office as President of the British republic!" "Making a Sailor" will be the sub-

eautiful and American'

Probably there is a free field for the rival charms of ladies blond and brunette, for sweet young things, and

But, likely as not, when P. W. has chosen an American bride and given her the ring, and cabled his family,

Making a Sallor" will be the subject of a six-reel motion picture lecture which will be shown Friday
night in the Young People's Building
by a man from the Bureau of Navigation, Navy Department. The affair
will be under the auspices of Grace
P. E. Church and the proceeds will
be for the parish hall fund.

#### **ALEXANDRIA**

THE HERALD BUREAU,

Alexandria, Va., Jan. 15.-Two vills were probated today in the Circuit Court for this city in vacation. One was that of Douglass Stuart, dated April 7, 1917, and E. B. Taylor qualified as executor.

After bequeathing \$500 to his cousin, Miss Roberta L. Stuart, he leaves the remainder of his estate to his brother, Charles A. Stuart, and his cousin, Miss Katherine H. Stuart.

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Charters have been grant to the following concerns: son's Directory Corporation, and ria, with a capital stock of the state control of the state composition, and his cousin, Miss Katherine H. Stuart.

Stuart.

Louis P. Shuman's will also was probated in this court. He beprobated in this court. He bequeaths to his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Mollie V. Shuman, and her children the three-story brick store and dwelling, 516 King street, together with the business conducted therein, a bakery and confectionary establishment, and also half of his life insurance policies.

Andria, with a capital stock of \$55,-000; purposes are publishing directories, books, etc.; B. F. Johnson, Cold Spring Mining Company, both of Washington.

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To his daughter, Mrs. May Dennon, he leaves his money in bank, furble leaves his money in bank, furble little at 516 King street, one-half of James P. Wright, died suddenly at the case of Benjamin T. Fendall of life insurance policies and certain lots in George Washington Park and Braddock. The will is Adaughter of the late Caleb dated September 16, 1913. He names L. and Amanda Wheeler Richards. his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Mollie V. Besides her husband, she is survived

Shuman, as executrix, and she quali-fied as such. by two sisters, Mrs. A. H. Cor and Mrs. William H. Demaine.

Directors of two of the national banks today elected officers to serve for the year. They are as

First National-Gardner L. Boothe, president; M. B. Harlow, vice president; George E. Warfield, cashier; J. Johnston Green and Arthur K. Warfield, assistant cashiers.

Alexandria National—Judge S. E.

Nicol, president; Judge Samuel G. Brent, vice president; J. Lawrence Perry, cashier; R. L. Dudley, assist-ant cashier.

Charters have been granted by the State Corporation Commission to the following concerns: John andria. with a capital stock of \$50,-000; purposes are publishing di-rectories, books, etc.; B. F. Johnson, president: John W. Price, secretary,

retary, both of Alexandria.

Pall bearers were C. Marin Price, Mark L. Price, jr., C. W. Entwilde, Walter M. Beach, John Briggs and James S. Smythe, nephews of the de-

ground of desertion were given today in the Corporation Court. They are Josephine H. J. Mathew from E. Tanner Mathew, and Mrs. Mathew was awarded the custody of two infant childgen. The other divorce granted was Philippa H, Thomas from Charles

The recommendation of the bourg of directors of the Citizens' National Bank for doubling their capital stock has been approved by the board of directors, and this will become effec-

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Washington Agents for NDESTRUCT

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Look 'em over, prince. These are types of the American girls you'll find to pick from when you reach our fair shores. Look him over, girls. What do you think of his smile?

The British throne is about the only really good throne in Europe. What with wars and revolutions

and other unpleasantnesses, the oval seats are badly out of repair, not as desirable as in former The Prince of Wales (P. W. for short), in ordinary times, would never be allowed to look at any girl

circumstances, it would be very good taste for his royal highness to choose a wife from the maidens of a democracy. It would please both

uric acid. The kidneys are not able to get STARS SIGN CONTRACTS UKRAINIAN TROOPS

BEAT BOLSHEVISTS

Gen. Denekine Defeats Reds in Mary Pickford, "Doug" Fairbanks, cohol or tea. Drink plenty of pure water, Charley Chaplin and W. S. Harte. Kuma River Battle. preferably hot water before meals, and drive the uric acid out of the system by taking Anuric." This can be obtained at almost any

Bolshevik forces in South Russia were crushed in the recent Kuma River battle with Republican forces

Anuric." This can be obtained at almost any drug store, in tablet form, and will dissolve uric acid as hot coffee dissolves sugar.

You know that before an insurance company will take a risk on your life the examining physician will test your water and report whether you are a good risk. You should send a bottle of water to the chemist at Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and you will receive free medical advice as to

#### TEACH GIRLS TO HANDLE MONEY

By DOROTHY DIX

THE WORLD'S HIGHEST PAID WOMAN WRITER

n the dollar mark. I alienated my travagance nusband's affections by my extrava-tance. I lost his respect through my mability to manage my household afgance. I lost his respect through grander. I lost his respect through my ignorance of the cost of things. I am treated by him with a sort of contemptuous pity instead of being regarded as a helpmet, and all because I, was never taught as a girl how to handle money. "I was the only girl in a family several devoted several devoted sire to help their husbands, and to working partners." Whatever I wanted I was indulged in, but it was given to me. I never bought it myself. I never had the

mpty one.
"Then I got married, and I did what

my husband into dept, and when he remonstrated with me I accused him remonstrated with me I accused him of being stingy and wept and made scenes.

"Finally, realizing that I was ruinfing him, he took charge of all the family expenditures himself. He buys even my own clothes I have only a small allowance for street car fare. I am a cipher in my own house, Nothing will ever convince him that I am to be trusted with a dollar or that I have learned a bitter lesson. Nothing will ever make him regard me as anything more than a useless parlor ornament, or think of me as a real wife, to be consuited and confided in."

This woman's story could be duplicated in thousands of other homes where the first rift within the lute, the first shadow on the honeymoon, came with the young husband's discovery that the angel that he thought he had married knew no more about the value of a dollar than if she belonged, indeed, to that celestial region whose linhabitants wear feathers instead of tailor-mades, and subsist on nectar and ambrosia instead of beefsteak, and where the divine harmony is not disturbed by the high cost of living.

Nothing uips romance more completely in the bud than debt, and when the bill collector is forever hammering of the family dissorted him the local collector is forever hammering of the family dissorted him the late, the first shadow on the bill collector is forever hammering of the family dissorted him the late, the first shadow on the honeymoon, came with the young husband's discovery that the angel that he thought he had married life, and made a little breach between themselves and their husbands that is never entirely direct of a deliar tradiged over.

Parents commit a grievous fault in not teaching their daughters how thandle money, and thus learning by actual experience when to spend and when to save and how far a definite amount will go. If every girl, from the time she was 12 years and pay her own expenses under her judicious use of her money, it would save many a woman from ruining her husband an

A woman was telling me a pathetic dollars to the winds, nor does he look fittle story the other day. She said:
"My married life has been wrecked always on the grindstone of her ex-

No successful home can

be real valuable working partners.
When they fail to do this it is through ignorance, and when they waste their husband's incomes and are guilty of actual handling of money or saw how criminal extravagance it is nearly alfast a full purse can dwindle into an empty one.

empty one.

"Then I got married, and I did what anyone might have foreseen that a girl brought up in entire ignorance of the value of money would have done. I plunged into an orgy of spending I literally burned money up. I ran have married, and by the time they my husband into debt, and when he remonstrated with me I accused him of being stingy and wept and made scenes.

## Reading advertisements has helped to make this a united country

Jim Hawkins props his feet on the rose festooned porch railing in an Oregon suburb and reads the same motor car advertisement that Cousin Peter is studying as he rides home from work in the New York subway.

In Arizona you can buy the same tooth paste and tobacco that are used by the folks in Maine.

California fruit growers advertise their oranges and lemons to the people of the East. New Hampshire factories make ice cream freezers for Texas households.

There can be no division in a country so bound together by taste, habit and custom.

You can meet up with anybody in the United States and quickly get on a conversational footing because you both read the same advertisements.

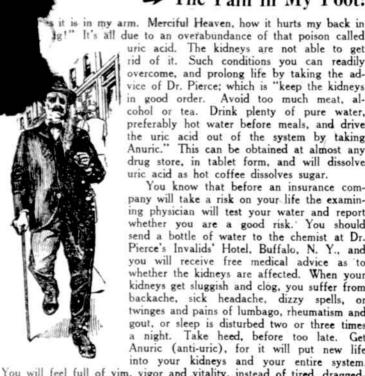
Advertising is the daily guide to what's good to buy.

Advertisements give you the latest news from the front line of business progress. は存むがすい

Reading advertisements enables you to get more for your money because they tell you where, what and when to buy.

And it is a well-known fact that advertised goods are more reliable and better value than the unadvertised kinds.

The Washington Herald



overcome, and prolong life by taking the advice of Dr. Pierce; which is "keep the kidneys in good order. Avoid too much meat, al-

you will receive free medical advice as to whether the kidneys are affected. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog, you suffer from backache, sick headache, dizzy spells, or twinges and pains of lumbago, rheumatism and gout, or sleep is disturbed two or three times a night. Take heed, before too late. Get Anuric (anti-uric), for it will put new life

into your kidneys and your entire system. You will feel full of vim, vigor and vitality, instead of tired, draggedout and blue. Anuric is many times more potent than lithia, dissolves

and carries away uric acid and other poisons from the system. Ask

your nearest druggist for Anuric-in tablet form. Every man or woman should be careful that the liver is active and the poisons are not allowed to clog the system—get rid of these poisons by taking a vegetible laxative occasionally—such as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Ley do not gripe and will not harm the most delicate system.—Adv.

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and \$14 Hess

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